

x		-1	0	1
y		5	7	9

Table 1: The data for Problem 1.

x		0	$\frac{\pi}{2}$	π	$\frac{3\pi}{2}$
y		1	1	-1	-1

Table 2: The data for Problem 6.

Exercises: (Chapter 6 §4, §12, and Notes)

1. Find a natural cubic spline function whose knots are $t_0 = -1, t_1 = 0$, and $t_2 = 1$ and that takes on the values in Table 1.
2. By taking real and imaginary parts in a suitable complex exponential equation, prove that the following two equations hold. Let k, n be positive integers.

$$\frac{1}{n} \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} \cos\left(\frac{2\pi jk}{n}\right) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } k \text{ divides } n \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}.$$

$$\frac{1}{n} \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} \sin\left(\frac{2\pi jk}{n}\right) = 0.$$

3. Prove the following useful identities involving complex conjugation. Let $z_1, z_2 \in \mathbb{C}$.

(a) Show that $\overline{z_1 + z_2} = \overline{z_1} + \overline{z_2}$.

(b) Show that $\overline{z_1 z_2} = \overline{z_1} \overline{z_2}$.

(c) Show that $|z_1|^2 = z_1 \overline{z_1}$.

(d) Show that $|z_1 + z_2|^2 = |z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2 + 2\operatorname{Re}(z_1 \overline{z_2})$.

Here, $\operatorname{Re}(a + bi) = a$. That is, $\operatorname{Re}(a + bi)$ is the *real part* of the complex number $a + bi$.

4. Let $z \in \mathbb{C}$ be nonzero. Show that

$$z^{-1} := \frac{1}{z} = \frac{\bar{z}}{|z|^2}.$$

5. Prove that the normalized DFT matrix, $F \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times n}$, with entries given by

$$F_{\omega, j} = e^{-\frac{2\pi i \omega j}{n}} / \sqrt{n} \quad \text{for all } 0 \leq j, \omega \leq n-1$$

is unitary.

6. Find the trigonometric polynomial

$$p(x) = \hat{p}_{-1} e^{-ix} + \hat{p}_0 + \hat{p}_1 e^{ix} + \hat{p}_2 e^{2ix}$$

that interpolates the data in Table 2. Write p both in complex exponential form as above, and as a sum of sines and cosines.